

THE HONORABLE BARBARA J. ROTHSTEIN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

IGNACIO LANUZA,

Plaintiff,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ET AL.

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 2:14-cv-01641-BJR

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Plaintiff Ignacio Lanuza (“Mr. Lanuza”) and Defendant United States of America (“USA”) (collectively, the “Parties”) submit the following joint status report.

On May 2, 2016, Judge Marsha J. Pechman granted the Parties’ stipulated motion to continue to stay this case until the Ninth Circuit resolves Mr. Lanuza’s appeal against Jonathan Love. *See* Dkt. 99. Briefing before the Ninth Circuit closed on January 21, 2016. Dkt. 96 ¶3. On February 22, 2017, the Ninth Circuit issued a notice alerting the parties that Mr. Lanuza’s appeal of the District Court’s Order dismissing his *Bivens* claims against the individual defendant Mr. Love was “being considered for the June 2017 Seattle oral argument calendar.” Dkt. 108, Ex. A. On June 20, 2017, the parties received notice that Mr. Lanuza’s appeal of the District Court’s Order dismissing his *Bivens* claims against the individual defendant Mr. Love was instead “being considered for the October 2017 Seattle oral argument calendar.” Ex. A. The appeal was argued before the Ninth Cir. on October 3, 2017, and the Ninth Cir. has taken the case under advisement.

1 In the initial Stipulated Motion to Stay Action, Dkt. 83 at 1, “[t]he Parties believe . . . it is in
 2 the best interests of the Parties, the Court, and judicial economy to continue staying this matter until
 3 the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit resolves” the appeal of the dismissal of Mr.
 4 Love from this action. *See also* Dkt. 95 at 1-2.

5 The Parties agree to submit a joint status report, within ten (10) days of notice of the Ninth
 6 Circuit’s decision in this pending matter, apprising the Court of the status of the appellate
 7 proceedings and case.
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9 DATED: January 12, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that counsel of record who are deemed to have consented to electronic service are being served with a copy of the Parties' Joint Status Report via the Court's CM/ECF system on January 12, 2018.

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